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FROM: Brig. Gen. Lansdale

SUBJECT: The Cuba Project

Transmitted herewith is the projection of actions to help Cubans recapture their freedom. This total plan is EYES ONLY. The lives of many brave people depend on the security of this paper entrusted to you. Any inference that this plan exists could place the President of the United States in a most damaging position.

This is a specific plan, with time phases. It responds to the request of the Special Group (5412) for such a paper. I urge that this paper not be made known, in this complete form, beyond yourself and those named as addressees.

The Attorney General

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Defense: Secretary McNamara, Deputy Secretary Gilpatric,

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